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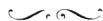
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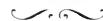
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THE FRONT COVER

Beautiful and majestic are the McGuffey Elms in any season of the year. As indicated in the adjacent column this picture was taken in February following one of the few snowfalls of the winter. Vic Sherow, '29, Ohio University's director of press relations, was the camera man.

From the Editor's Desk . . .

"OH, HO," you exclaim as you look critically at the front cover, "there wasn't any snow like that in Athens in the month of March." Right you are. But please observe that this is the *February* issue. The picture was taken and an engraving made early that month for what was expected to be an immediate use. Setbacks of an unavoidable nature have made impossible an earlier publication of this number, and engravings costing the frightful amount that they do the editor does not feel that he can afford to scrap the cut, even though something featuring forsythia might be more "seasonable" at this time.

Besides, we think it is a pretty scene, and since it pictures one of the few snows of what has been an exceedingly mild Athens winter we will publish it for the record as well as for its beauty.

Incidentally, and in accordance with past practice, one half of the space in the February issue of *The Ohio Alumnus* is given to the Ohio University Fund, Inc., for its annual report. Displaced, this time, are the notes on the activities of alumni—including the reports of their betrothals, nuptials, blessed events, and leave-takings. These personal notes will appear again in the March number.

SOME ALUMNI find the suggestion that they got considerably more from their university than they paid for in tuition fees, and that, therefore, they might well consider a contribution to alma mater in grateful remembrance of those extra benefits, to be quite irritating.

Such persons are common to every alumni body, but they are more apt to be representatives of the state-supported colleges and universities than of the privately-endowed institutions, to which giving by alumni and friends has long been recognized not only as desirable but absolutely necessary.

These folks, sincerely, often, believe they paid their way, leaving no balance due on account, or they say education is the state's baby, let the state support it.

The facts are that no one entirely pays his way, at a state school or elsewhere, and that, as directors of the Ohio University Fund have frequently pointed out, the state does not and cannot adequately support its offspring.

But waiving the question of ought or obligation—which we feel is a perfectly valid one for most of us—there is always the matter of altruistic giving, giving for the good of one's soul and the benefit of others.

There is much we can do to guarantee that those who follow after us will be better provided for than were we, ourselves. There can be great personal satisfaction in this sort of unselfish giving.

The number of contributors and the per capita giving of Ohio University alumni to their Fund do not compare well with the figures from most schools having similar funds. We can and should do better. Small contributions are just as welcome as large ones if they represent the means and circumstances of the giver. "It is not so much what you give but that you give." Let's double the number of gifts next year.

CONGRATULATIONS and the best of good wishes to the February graduates. Many of them have secured excellent positions, and all of them, doubtless, are aware by now that the time they spent in college was indeed a "Four-Year Heaven."

Graduating Groups To Set Records For Size During The Current Year

When the Ohio University historian records significant facts about the year 1949 it is certain he will note the unprecedented sizes of the graduating classes.

Numbering 256 seniors, the February class was the largest group ever to receive degrees at the close of a fall semester. The previous mid-year record was 148 graduates in 1943.

The June group will probably exceed by more than 250 any previous end-of-the-year class, with a membership of approximately 775 members.

The record breaking will continue this summer when it is expected that approximately 150 degrees will be conferred at the close of the Summer School on August 13. Still other degrees will be granted at the end of the Post Summer Session, but without benefit of formalities of any sort.

The completion of work by large numbers of student-veterans is the explanation of the unusual size of the various sections of the Class of 1949.

It is thought by many that it will be some time before either graduation or general enrollment figures again reach present proportions.

The officers of the Class of 1949 are Harry Collins, Fort Wayne, Ind., president; Charles Horn, Crooksville, vice president; George Menster, Louisville, treasurer; and Phyllis Davies, Cleveland, secretary. Fred Picard, associate professor of economics is class adviser.

In February, for the first time, full-scale, formal commencement exercises were held for a midyear class.

Outdoor exercises—the first to be staged in the month of roses—will be held on June 12. A decision has not yet been made as to the site of the colorful ceremonies, but a choice will soon be made between a spot near the center of the campus and Ohio Stadium.

The February 5 program included a senior breakfast in Lindley Hall, the academic procession, and the com-

mencement exercises in Alumni Memorial Auditorium.

Chief speaker at the breakfast was Prof. George Starr Lasher. Others appearing on the program presided over by Harry Turton, Bridgeport, Conn., were President John C. Baker, Rev. Fred E. Luchs, and the Alumni

rection of Miss Evangeline Merritt, assistant professor of voice. The degrees—247 baccalaureate and seven masters', plus two two-year diplomas in elective studies—were conferred by the president of the university.

A unique touch to the day's events was added when President Baker presented to Marilyn Watase (see picture), an honor graduate from Hanapepe, Kauai, Hawaii, a lei sent by Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Powell of Honolulu, with whom Miss Watase lived while attending the University of Hawaii.

The lei, of native flowers, was shipped air express to President Baker with a request that it be presented to Miss Watase, as a surprise, immediately after commencement "to make her graduation day complete." Another lei was sent to the Hawaiian girl by members of her family.

The persons in the picture are, left to right: Amy Amoti, a friend of the Miss Watase's from Muskingum College; Mary Lou Burket, Everett, Pa., an Ohio University friend (with the lei from the family); Miss Watase; and President Baker. Miss Watase has returned to her home in Hawaii.

"American democracy has been more tough than tender," Dr. Holmes said in opening his address. "The tasks imposed by nature and by history upon the people of this country have called for vigor, self-reliance, daring—and a casual attitude toward social consequences. Ruthlessness has often been forgiven in the men who get things done."

"If free enterprise was often murderous, still it gave scope to men of brains and drive who could get and use these fabulous riches of the land."

"When democracy becomes religious—that is, when it takes liberty, equality and fraternity in all seriousness as ideals—it does worry about humanity as a whole," the speaker stated.

There were 200 men and 56 women in the graduating group.



Photo by E. E. Davis

President Baker Presents Lei To Hawaiian Graduate

Secretary. The "Last Will and Testament of the Class," written by Clare Grosenbaugh, Canton, was read by Mr. Turton. Rhoda Rosenfeld, Newark, N. J., was chairman of the breakfast committee.

Nancy Troup, Pleasantville, a senior, played the Cutler Hall chimes prior to the procession and following the commencement program.

"Democracy Searches Its Conscience" was the subject of the address delivered to the class by Dr. Henry Holmes, professor emeritus of education and former dean of the Graduate School of Education at Harvard University.

Music for the commencement exercises was provided by the University Madrigal Singers under the di-



Dormitory Dedication To Be An April Event

Appropriately as to date, Bryan Hall, Ohio University's beautiful new dormitory for girls, which was named in honor of Dr. Elmer Burritt Bryan, eleventh president of the university (1921-1934), will be dedicated on April 23, the anniversary of the birth of the late administrator.

The dedication program will consist of exercises in Alumni Memorial Auditorium, an "open house" at the dormitory, and a tea for the special guests of the university. Dean Irma E. Voigt is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Among those expected to be present for the ceremonies are the two daughters of the late president and his wife—Mrs. Helen Bryan Sater, Summit, N. J., and Mrs. Florence Bryan Belcher, Columbus. Two grandchildren, Gay and Bryan Belcher, will also be present.

Other campus events which will make this April weekend an outstanding one at the university will



The Tower



East Side of Bryan Hall (Facing the East Green)



West Side of Bryan Hall (Facing the College Green)

be the observation of the 25th anniversary of the establishment of journalism courses by Prof. George Starr Lasher (see page 12 and back cover) and the annual Senior Ball.

Alumni and the general public are cordially invited to attend the dedication exercises in the Auditorium at 3:30 p.m. and the open house at the dormitory from 4:00 to 5:30. Miss Mary Jo Klanick, head of residence, and the women of Bryan Hall will be hostesses at the reception and for the inspection of the building. The tea will be for special guests only.

The half-hour program at the Auditorium will be preceded and closed by music from the Cutler Hall chimes. A Bach chorale will be played by trumpeters stationed on the tower of Bryan Hall.

Following a number by the University Women's Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Evangeline Merritt, President John C. Baker will speak briefly, delivering a charge to the residents of the dormitory. A response to the president's remarks will be made by Doris Covington, Athens, president of the Bryan Hall Council.

The address of the occasion will be delivered by Dr. Edwin Watts

Chubb, dean emeritus of the College of Arts and Sciences, who was acting president of the university immediately prior to the coming of President Bryan and following the latter's death. Dean Chubb was the principal speaker, also, at the memorial service held for the deceased president in Memorial Auditorium on Oct. 18, 1934, and at the Bryan Hall cornerstone laying exercises a little over a year ago.

A number by the Bryan Hall Glee Club, directed by Nancy Marts, Middletown, will follow the address, while a trumpet fanfare from the dormitory tower and the Cutler chimes will provide the concluding touches to the exercises.

Dr. Bryan was a graduate of Indiana University and had pursued advanced studies at Harvard and Clark universities. As commissioner of education in the Philippine Islands he established and developed, in large part, the educational program that is still being followed in the islands.

The late educator was president of Franklin College, Indiana (1905-08); a department chairman at Indiana University (1908-09); and president of Colgate University, Hamilton, N.Y. (1909-21). Coming to Ohio University in 1921, he served with distinction as president of the institution until his death thirteen years later.

President Bryan was nationally known as a speaker on educational subjects. He was an effective administrator and a warm-hearted friend. His unusual capacity for friendship endeared him to students on the campus and to alumni whom he met on his wide travels outside of Athens.

The pictures on the opposite page were taken by John Greensmith, a student photographer, and show: (left—top to bottom) the Bryan Hall lounge, the elevator, and a typical twin-bed room; (right—top to bottom) the music room, corridor and postoffice, a room with double-decked bed, and one of the two solaria.

The building was first occupied last September and at present houses 200 girls.



On and About the Green . . .

ROBERT R. WILSON (see picture), Columbus, a junior in the College of Fine Arts, won first place in the Ohio Intercollegiate Oratory Contest for Men held at Kenyon College on March 18. Students from 14 Ohio colleges competed in the traditional event, which has been held every year since 1874. Winner Wilson's feat qualifies him for the national contest to be held April 25, at Northwestern University. It also gave Ohio University two state championships and a runner-up position in four forensic events entered this year. Bonnie Jean Miller, Dayton, another Fine Arts junior, placed first in extemporaneous speaking and Mary Longenecker, Shaker Heights, a Fine Arts senior, second in the intercollegiate oratorical contest for women. In the picture, Mr. Wilson and Miss Miller are to be seen with Dr. L. C. Staats, veteran coach of forensics at Ohio University who has produced many winners in state and national events.

ANOTHER record-setting graduation of seniors will be held in June when approximately 800 degrees will be granted. It is anticipated that the February, June, and August graduations will total close to 1,400, making the Class of 1949 by far the largest in Ohio University's history—and probably the largest for some years to come.

Alumni Day will be observed on Saturday, June 11, with the Baccalaureate Service and the formal commencement exercises to be held on the following day, Sunday, June 12. Because of the size of the graduating

group outdoor exercises are being planned. The commencement speaker will be Louis Bromfield, widely-known author, conservationist, and political writer.

Special efforts will be made to get members of the Classes of 1899, 1904, 1909, 1914 and 1924 back to the campus for reunions of the 50, 45, 40, 35, and 25-year classes.

PROF. GEORGE Starr Lasher, director of the School of Journalism, was the guest speaker Sunday afternoon, March 20, on WLW's "The Wealth of Years" program broadcast from the Cincinnati studios. Featured each week on the quarter-hour program is some outstanding college or university professor in the WLW listening area whose success and long experience qualify him to speak helpfully upon some suitable subject. Professor Lasher chose as the subject of his address "The Responsibility of the Newspaper and Its Reader." The program was opened with an arrangement, for organ, of "Alma Mater, Ohio," and an erroneous statement by the announcer that Ohio University was established in 1809 and has a present enrollment of 3,200 students. The facts are, of course, that the university was founded in 1804 and that last fall's enrollment was an all-time high of more than 5,500 . . . Professor Lasher will be honored at a journalism convocation and a banquet at Ohio University on April 22. The program is being sponsored by Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalism fraternity in honor of Mr. Lasher's 25 years with the university. Herbert

Elliston, editor of the Washington (D. C.) Post will be the convocation speaker. Prominent Ohio newspaper editors and news service managers will be invited to the campus for the day.

ONE OF THE University Theatre's most successful productions in years was a recent five-night run of

Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream" in Ewing Auditorium. The play was directed by Miss Elizabeth Wetzel, while the very effective sets were executed by students under the direction of Edwin R. Hansen. Both Miss Wetzel and Mr. Hansen are instructors in the School of Dramatic Art and Speech. Among several outstanding performances were those of three foreign students—Ted Danielewski (Poland) as Oberon, king of the fairies; Sylvia Lakoneska (also of Poland), as Titania, the fairy queen; and Charles Kowcitz (Iraq), as Puck. The costumes were designed by members of the class in Costuming the Play taught by Dr. Elizabeth Andersch.

MAJOR GENERAL Philip B. Fleming, administrator of the Federal Works Agency, a member of the President's Scientific Research Board, and a director of the Society of American Military Engineers, was the university convocation speaker in Alumni Memorial Auditorium on March 1. His subject was "The Case for Scholarship." General Fleming pointed out to his student listeners that they could, if they would, prepare themselves for tomorrow's world as no other generation has been privileged to do.

"Many of you," he said, "especially outside the professions, may not find much direct use for the formal knowledge which you acquire in college. But the habit of study, the ability to sit down and analyze a problem, will serve you well in any and every walk in life. The respect for facts, the orderly thinking that makes good students, also makes good citizens."

"I am not belittling higher education and the fund of knowledge it lays before you. They are invaluable tools—but scholarship provides the real cutting edge," the general stated.

FOR THE first time since its inception in 1929, the Ohio Intercollegiate Band Festival will be held this spring at Ohio University. Featuring the festival on May 1 will be

Forensics Coach L. C. Staats and Two Champions



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a symphonic band composed of more than 100 selected musicians, both men and women, from almost 50 colleges and universities in the state. The conductor of this year's festival will be Guglielmo Sabatini, conductor and musical director of the Trenton Symphony Orchestra, Trenton, New Jersey.

BY ACTION of the Board of Trustees of Ohio University, effective this year, administrative officers and department chairmen will be required to retire from their administrative posts at age 65. Non-administrative and regular teaching positions may be held until age 70, the upper limit specified in the state's teacher retirement law.

NEW OFFICERS of the Women's League include Eileen Murphy, Akron, president; Carolyn Herbert, Athens, vice president; Mary Jane Basilone, Cleveland, secretary, and Mary Newkirk, Akron, treasurer. Miss Murphy, who is past president of Howard Hall, president of the Interdorm Council, and a Senate representative, succeeds Norma Kodes, Cleveland, in the presidency of the campus-wide women's organization. Miss Herbert is the daughter of O.U. Purchasing Agent W. H. Herbert, '25, and Mrs. Dorothea Jones Herbert, '26. The Athens girl succeeds Janice Wiggin, another Athenian and the daughter of Dr. W. W. Wiggin, professor of agriculture.

SIGMA THETA GAMMA, a local fraternity, has been notified that its petition for a chapter charter in Sigma Chi national social fraternity has been granted. A spring installation date is expected. The coming of Sigma Chi to the Ohio University campus will complete the so-called Miami triad—Beta Theta Pi, Phi Delta Theta, and Sigma Chi—a group of three Greek-letter social societies that were founded at Miami University more than a century ago. Sigma Theta Gamma was established at Ohio University in 1909 and was for many years a chapter in Sigma Pi national fraternity. Withdrawal from the latter group took place more than a year ago...

On February 13, representatives of the Michigan, Purdue, Illinois, Ohio State, and Cincinnati chapters of Acacia national social fraternity participated in the installation of Trowel,

an Ohio U. local composed of students who are Master Masons, as a chapter of the national society. President Ernest H. Hahne of Miami University was the principal speaker at the installation ceremonies.

AN APPLICATION for the establishment of a noncommercial educational FM radio station at Ohio University is now pending before the Federal Communications Commission in Washington. University officials feel that a favorable reply will be forthcoming shortly. The station, to be housed in the new Fine Arts Building now under construction on South College Street, will be strictly for educational purposes and will replace the present wired-radio setup which has been in operation on the campus for several years. When the station is authorized Ohio University will be the first institution of higher learning in the state to have an educational FM license... Dr. D. B. Green, professor of electrical engineering, and several of his students have engaged recently in successful efforts at television reception with experimental equipment. The installation of a TV broadcasting station in Columbus this spring is expected to make local reception fairly certain for household sets, but Dr. Green cautions Athenians against heavy financial outlays for receivers at the present time.

RESIDENTS of The East Green, a community of between 600 and 700 men students living in the temporary dormitories on the "lower campus," have established two scholarships for the benefit of East Green men who possess the qualities of leadership, scholarship, and campus citizenship in outstanding degrees. Two awards covering registration and other fees, not to exceed \$75 in each case, will be made each semester. In order to be eligible to apply for one of these scholarships a student must have been a resident of the East Green community for a full semester prior to the semester for which the scholarship is to be awarded, and must continue to be a resident there while the scholarship is effective. The scholarship fund is to be administered by a committee appointed by the East Green Council.



R.O.T.C. Officers and Distinguished Visitors

A SEPARATE Air Force unit of the R.O.T.C. will be established at Ohio University on July 19. The university's military organization will then be composed of three units—Infantry, Quartermaster, and Air Force. Two distinguished U.S. Air Force officers visited the campus on March 17 to discuss plans for the new unit with university officials and the local Air R.O.T.C. staff. They were Major General William D. Old (see picture), Ninth Air Force commander, and Brigadier General Robert C. Oliver, vice commander of the Ninth Air Force, both of Langley Field, Va. They were accompanied to Athens by two other Air Force officers, Colonel E. A. Malmstrom and Lieutenant Colonel H. H. Bledsoe, also of Langley Field. General Old is a veteran of the Burma campaign with more than 90 missions to his credit. General Oliver is a veteran of 29 years of service with the armed forces. In the picture, left to right: General Old, Major Neil E. Walker (assistant professor of air science and tactics), Colonel Malmstrom, Dean A. H. Armbruster of the College of Commerce, Colonel Bledsoe, Colonel William H. Speidel (professor of military science and tactics), and General Oliver.

OHIO UNIVERSITY students and faculty members expressed sympathy in various ways to Kenyon College officials, to student survivors of the dormitory fire, and to friends and families of the victims following the tragic occurrence on the Gambier campus late in February. Ohio U. students contributed a total of \$500 to a fund which was sent to aid students at the stricken school in the purchase of textbooks and the replacement of other materials lost in the fire. The expressions of sympathy and the financial aid were acknowledged with thanks and deep appreciation by Kenyon's President Chalmers and by undergraduate leaders.

Organized Alumni Centers Are Active

The following is a review of the happenings of the recent past in the organized alumni centers and an announcement of some of the events programmed for the immediate future.

Cleveland Bobcats

On January 18, the men of the Cleveland area had two university trustees as their guests at a dinner meeting at the Cleveland Athletic Club. In addressing the group, Don McVay, '15, president of the Ohio Farmers Insurance Co., disclosed future plans for the university, and Arthur C. Johnson, '95x, editor of the *Columbus Dispatch*, gave a résumé of his experiences during 32 years as a trustee.

The Bobcats arranged for a special block of tickets for the Western Reserve-Ohio basketball game at Reserve Gymnasium on February 26, and sponsored informal gatherings at the Hotel Commodore before and after the game.

On March 17, the men's organization joined with the Ohio University Women's Club of Cleveland in a meeting at the University Club honoring President John C. Baker of Ohio University. The six o'clock dinner and the president's address were followed by an informal reception at which punch and canapes were served. Heard also on the speaking program, presided over by Henry H. Eccles, '15, was B. T. Grover, '19, assistant to President Baker.

The Bobcats will hold their annual business meeting and smoker at the Athletic Club on April 14. The spring program will be brought to a close on May 19 with a dinner honoring Head Football Coach Carroll Widdoes and his staff.

Charles G. Hamilton, '32, and Lyle Eby, '38, are currently president and secretary of the Bobcats.

Cleveland Women

The members of the Ohio University Women's Club of Cleveland opened their 1949 program with a "Mother-Daughter Luncheon," January 22, at Higbee's Lounge. An en-

tertainment feature was the presentation of humorous monologues by Mrs. Paul Barkman.

Last fall the Ohio University Mothers' Club of Greater Cleveland, through its president, Mrs. W. H. Donaldson, informed President Baker and officers of the Men's Union and Women's League that it desired to do something in the way of increasing the recreational facilities on the campus and asked for suggestions. It was indicated



Magnavox Given by Cleveland Mothers' Club

that the mothers would like to present the students with a television set if such a gift were of a practical nature.

The mothers were informed that satisfactory television reception cannot yet be assured in Athens but that a radio-phonograph equipped to handle the new, long-playing records would be very acceptable. The suggestion met with favor, and as a result there is now installed in the Temporary Recreation Hall on the front of the campus a new Magnavox instrument (see picture) which receives both AM and FM programs and plays the new-type records. The gift of the mothers also included a \$150 record library as a starter.

A brass plate indicating the identity of the donors has been placed on the radio-phonograph.

In the picture, left to right, are: Allison Wylie, Morgantown, W. Va.; Georgeonne Fornwalt, McArthur; and George Sotak, Lakewood.

Following the February 19 luncheon at Higbee's, Dr. Frank L. Meany,

an outstanding plastic surgeon, gave an illustrated talk on the miracles of his profession.

As previously indicated, the women of the Cleveland area joined the men of the district in honoring President Baker on March 17.

At Higbee's again, on March 19, a luncheon was followed by an expert discussion of "Table Arrangements and Party Ideas for Special Occasions" by Mrs. J. C. Walker.

A guided tour of the Cleveland Museum of Art, to be followed by a tea, is scheduled for April 16.

The year's activities will be concluded on May 15 with a Tenth Anniversary Tea at the Central YWCA, with Dean of Women Irma E. Voigt as the guest of honor. The annual election of officers will be held at this time.

The president and secretary of the Cleveland alumnae group are, respectively, Eleanor Morrow, '33, and Mrs. Lucille Banask Young, '43.

Youngstown Women

The Ohio University Women's Club of Youngstown, organized in 1932 and the oldest of the alumnae clubs, is headed this year by Ruth Kindler, '46. The secretary is Marjorie Cook,

'43. Two events of last fall were the club's annual picnic, this time at Homestead Park, and a meeting featured by a book review. The picnic was followed by a demonstration of flower arranging by Mrs. Kathryn Heller, well known in Northeastern Ohio for her artistry with flowers. At the second meeting, Mrs. C. J. Clancy reviewed "The Family Circle" by Cornelia Otis Skinner. Mrs. Mary Ellen Moore Covington, '37, was the picnic chairman, and Mrs. Catherine Toporcer Kulik, '32, 2-yr., chairman of the book review meeting.

Frieda Chapman, '22, headed the committee which planned the "Fun With Games" party held on January 29.

At last report a satisfactory room for the club's annual benefit bridge party had not been found. The pro-

ceeds of the event are used in support of club activities, scholarships, and contributions to the Ohio University Fund, Inc.

Dean E. R. Collins of Ohio University's College of Education and president-elect of State Teachers College, Albany, N. Y., will be the speaker for the Youngstown women's Guest Day meeting on April 30. Mrs. Josephine Orville Ross, '33, is chairman of the committee in charge of this final meeting of the year.

Akron Women

The Akron Association of Ohio University Women is under the present leadership of Mrs. Alice Edwards Wright, '27. The secretary is Mrs. Helen Duncan Secrest, '17.

The January 8 meeting was featured by a program on "Mexico" planned by Mrs. Grace Walker Love, '23. The hostess for the meeting was Mrs. Grace Imler Heskett, '22.

The Hobby Show on February 5, with Mrs. Inez Collins Crisp, '10x, as hostess, was featured by a display of antique buttons collected by Mrs. Helen Skinner Brunner, '24.

The Guest Day Tea was an event of March 5 at the home of the president, Mrs. Wright. The program was provided by a pupil of Mrs. Billie Lahrmer.

The April 2 meeting will have "Our National Parks" as a program theme, while Prof. C. N. Mackinnon, of the university's department of English, will be the guest speaker at the Ohio University Day Luncheon to be held May 7 at the Women's City Club.

An Ohio University scholarship amounting to \$90, or the remission of the general registration fee for two semesters, has been established and will be awarded annually by the Akron club to a graduating senior from a high school in Summit County, or to a Summit County student already enrolled at the university. The award is made by the club's scholarship committee on the basis of financial need, general ability, and character. Applications for the 1949-50 scholarship should be submitted to Mrs. Frank C. Fisher, 2317-19th St., Cuyahoga Falls.

Steubenville

B. T. Grover, '19, assistant to the president at Ohio University, is slated to be the speaker at the annual dinner meeting of the Eastern Ohio alumni chapter in Steubenville on April 22. Mr. Grover will be ac-

companied by two of the gridiron coaches, Carroll Widdoes and Howard Brinker. Brinker, the new line coach, was head football coach at Steubenville High School prior to coming to Ohio University a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Virgil B. Wolff (Eileen Buchanan, '43), is the chapter president.

WIDDODES TO MEET ALUMNI

In order that Ohio University alumni may have an early opportunity to meet and become acquainted with Head Football Coach Carroll Widdoes meetings are being arranged in several of the more populous alumni centers at which the new coach will be the honor guest and speaker. With the exception of the Columbus get-together the meetings will be for men only. It is hoped that there soon will be opportunities for the ladies to meet the very popular and likable gridiron mentor.

The schedule, thus far, and the meeting places are:

April 13—Ohio Hotel, Youngstown. The local Bobcat Club, of which Clarence A. Covington, Jr., '38, is president, is the sponsoring organization.

April 14—Oneida Hotel, Canton. Dr. George A. DeStefano, '36, is chairman of the Canton sponsors.

April 26—Cincinnati, at a downtown hotel yet to be announced. Ferol E. Betz, '37, A.M.'42, chairman.

May 2—Ft. Hayes Hotel, Columbus. The general alumni chapter [men and women] and the Columbus Bobcat club will join forces in staging the welcoming party for Coach Widdoes, who, as a former Ohio State coach, is of course no stranger to many of the Columbus folks. John H. Winkler, '25, is president of the chapter organization and Carlisle O. Dollings, '25, president of the Bobcats.

May 10—Portage Hotel, Akron. W. H. "Bid" Edmund, '28, chairman.

The secretary is Frank A. Cunningham, '41.

Pittsburgh

As a first step toward reactivation of the Pittsburgh chapter, some 30 or more alumni living on the South Side of the Smoky City gathered at the Mt. Lebanon Park Pavilion on November 12 for an evening of "fun, friendship, and frolicking." A proposal that the group meet every two or three months and that the membership be expanded was enthusiastically endorsed. Richard H. Creps, '44, and Charles H. Purnell, '47, headed the committee on arrangements for the November meeting.

Washington

Illness prevented President Baker from meeting with alumni in Washington, D. C., on February 25 and in

New Haven, Conn., the following night.

Aably substituting for the president, Dean A. H. Armbruster of the College of Commerce took the campus message to the Washingtonians at their dinner meeting at the Lafayette Hotel. The dean was presented by Eugene F. Rinta, '38, chapter president.

President Baker has promised his friends in the East a visit next year, if at all possible.

In the election of officers J. Allen Chase, '28, was chosen to succeed Mr. Rinta, while Mrs. J. Randall Rodgers, Jr., (Agnes E. Kilpatrick, '37), was elected secretary succeeding Dorothea Davis, '34.

New Haven

As stated above, the Ohio University president was to have been the guest speaker at a gathering of Ohio U. grads and former students living in and around New Haven, Conn., on February 26.

The reception accorded Dean Armbruster, however, was an exceedingly cordial one. He was pleased to find that a majority of those present at the dinner at Ceriani's—one of New Haven's famous eating places—were College of Commerce graduates.

Charles Loftus, '40x, New Haven, Leo Wilderman, '41, Hartford, and James Trudeau, Bridgeport, were the persons most active in planning the reunion.

Dayton

More than 50 members of the Dayton chapter enjoyed the "Christmas" dinner of turkey and all the usual accompaniments at the Oakwood home of Mrs. Lee Eiler (Frieda Morrel, '21) on December 9. This was the second consecutive year that Mrs. Eiler had been hostess to the Gem City Ohioans during the Christmas season. She was assisted by a committee of the group.

A Valentine Party was held, February 12, at Culp's Colonial Inn. Future events on the club's social calendar are a "Spring Carnival" at Red Gables in April, and the annual picnic, June 19, at Hills and Dales Park.

One of the best organized of the general chapter groups, the Daytonians have four principal officers and a board of directors; the directors serving terms of three years each, with three terms expiring each year. The officers are: Carl S. Mallow, Jr., '38, (Continued on page 12)

The Bobcat Sports Review

By VIC SHEROW, '29

OHIO'S SPRING sports program, including baseball, track, tennis, golf and spring football practice, was launched under perfect weather conditions Saturday, April 9, when a "spring sports" day was held with all but the golf teams seeing action.

Probably highlighting the day was the intra-squad football game which culminated the six-weeks spring training practice and gave Ohio students and followers their first preview of a Widdoes-coached Bobcat eleven.

The baseball team under Coach Bob Wren's guidance for the first year launched its season and also defense of its twice-won Mid-American Conference crown in auspicious fashion by overcoming a 6 to 0 deficit to hand Western Reserve a 7 to 6 defeat.

The tennis squad, which had been a big question mark in the mind of Coach A. A. Nellis, Jr., civil engineering professor, and also many followers of the sport, handed the Ohio Wesleyan racket outfit a 7 to 0 shellacking to spring one of the biggest surprises of the day.

Coach Jim Johnson's tracksters, both freshmen and varsity, bowed to the Bowling Green runners, but the showing of the Bobcat varsity, especially in the track events, gave indications of a strong squad being developed in the near future.

Coach Carroll C. Widdoes and his gridiron staff split up a squad of nearly 60 prospects into two equally-balanced groups designated as the Bobwhites and Greencats and sent them against each other in a regulation game, officials and all, before a good-sized Ohio Stadium crowd in the annual intra-squad contest.

The Bobwhites, with Ed. Roberts,

a freshman prospect sparking the attack, drove to two first quarter touchdowns and wound up winners of the game by a 13 to 6 count.

The starting line-up for the Bobwhites included Frosh prospects Vic Polosky, whose receiving of two passes set up both of his team's scores, Al Dunn and Demus Jones on the line, with Roberts in the backfield along with veterans Pat Connelly at quarterback, a post he took over last fall when Chris Stefan suffered his broken wrist; and Ed Sudnick and Quinn Stumpf.

Polosky, a 6'4" end who was an outstanding member of the Frosh basketball team during the winter, snagged one of Connelly's passes which Greencat players had batted into the air in an effort to break up the play and ran about 40 yards for the first score. Later he wound up on the Greencats' five-yard stripe with another pass, and Quinn Stumpf plunged over for the marker on the next play.

The Greencats' lone score came in the final period when pass interference after a fumble recovery play gave them the ball on the Bobwhites' six-yard mark, from where Charles Stack went over.

Making up the Greencats' starting squad were Veterans Art Guhde, Karl Finne, Ralph Barrows, Don Morris, Dick Davis, Jim McKenna and Marvin Spidel, along with Frosh prospects Bob Short, John Bedosky, Bill Englefeld and Paul Winemiller.

Coaches Snyder and Richey, who handled the two squads during the game, gave every member of the squad a chance to perform under fire and when the final gun sounded, Coach Widdoes and his staff, as well as the fans, felt confident Ohio's 1949 opponents are going to find many surprises in the Bobcat gridders they face next fall.

COACH WREN'S hopes of having one game played before jumping into the Mid-American Conference battle were shattered Tuesday, April 5, when rain called a halt to a contest with Morris Harvey of Charleston, W. Va., after three innings of play, with the Bobcats leading 4 to 3. The game was started in

the rain but a heavy downpour later forced the cancellation.

But with perfect weather at the end of the week, the Bobcats clashed with the Western Reserve Redcats to open defense of the conference crown which they have captured the past two years in succession while under the tutelage of Athletic Director Don C. Peden.

Opening the last half of the eighth inning with Reserve in front 6 to 0, a packed grandstand had given up hopes of a Bobcat victory. But living up to their tradition of fighting to the last ball, the Bobcats, aided by a flurry of Reserve miscues, pushed across five markers before the side was retired.

Newcomer Rod Andrews, who had taken over the mound duties in the eighth frame, following Don Poling who was relieved by Jay Ingall in the seventh, struck out the three Reserve batters facing him in the ninth.

A walk to Veteran Outfielder Bill Wollett starting the Ohio half of the ninth was all the Bobcats needed to spark the winning rally. Jim Shreffler was safe on a first base misplay on a sacrifice bunt and a few minutes later Catcher Ken Weiss, as a pinch hitter, brought Wollett home with the tying run on a long fly to right field, and Second Sacker Bob Meadows' single over second scored Shreffler with the winning marker, after there were two out.

After a second contest with the Redcats on the home field Monday, the Bobcats take off for the Southland and their annual spring training trip which lists 10 contests for them in Virginia, North Carolina, and West Virginia during the spring vacation period. Their next home appearance will be April 26 against Marietta on the home diamond.

One game has been added to the originally-announced schedule, a contest with Xavier at Cincinnati on May 28, which forced moving the Miami game scheduled for that date on the home field to May 30. The season's closer will be against Ohio State at Columbus on May 31.

ALTHOUGH he lost his No. 2 player just a few hours before the opening match through a slight eligibility miscue, Coach A. A. Nellis saw his untested tennis squad come through with a 7 to 0 win over Ohio Wesleyan, which the previous year walloped the Bobcats 5 to 1 on the courts at Delaware.

Track Coach Jim Johnson Instructs a Freshman Hopeful
Photo by John Greensmith



Coach Nellis, taking charge of the racket squad for the first time, had used a ladder elimination series to pick the first match contenders and reported himself well pleased with the opening showing. Only two of the five singles matches went to three sets, while one doubles match was settled 6-4, 4-6 and 6-4 for the Bobcats and the other by 7-5 and 6-1 counts.

Eight other matches and the annual conference championships still face the tennis squad, which will be idle over the spring vacation period.

Remainder of the schedule follows:

Apr. 22—Marshall at Huntington, W. Va.; 26—Ohio State here; 30—Oberlin at Oberlin; May 5—Muskingum at New Concord; 7—Wittenberg here; 13—Miami at Oxford; 18—Ohio Wesleyan at Delaware; 21—Marshall here; and 27 and 28—Mid-American Conference championships at Western Michigan College, Kalamazoo, Mich.

ALTHOUGH they were literally swamped by Bowling Green runners, the Bobcat tracksters were not hopelessly outclassed in their opening engagements, which found the Freshmen on the short end of an 87 to 40 count and the Varsity behind 80 to 47.

Coach Jim Johnson's varsity outfit made a good battle of the track events, taking five firsts to five for the visitors, including the two relay races, but were able to take top honors in only one of the five field events, where the visitors built up their margin of victory by a 33 to 12 count.

Kenny Thomas, ex-Marietta athlete, came through with Bobcat wins in both hurdle events, and John Hesketh ran away from the field to take the two-mile easily. Ray Johnston took the 440 by two yards and Dick Mills staged a final stretch spurt to win the half mile going away. In field events, the Bobcats won only the broad jump.

The Freshmen showed strength in the field events, where they took three first in five events, but in the track events took a lone first in the high hurdles.

However, several strong prospects appeared and with a little more training and experience may push the Bobcats to the front before the season is too old.

Following spring vacation, the tracksters have five more meets and then the conference championships at Kalamazoo.

The complete schedule is: Apr. 23—Cincinnati here; 30—West Virginia here; May 7—Marshall at Huntington; 14—University of Pittsburgh here; 17 or 18—Open; 25—Western Reserve at Cleveland; and 30—Mid-American meet at Western Michigan.

COACH KERMIT

BLOSSER'S undefeated golfers headed south on April 10 to swing around North Carolina and Virginia on a seven-match training program which should bring them back to Athens in top-notch shape for launching into a 12-meet schedule which includes the conference championships on May 27 at Kalamazoo.

The link crew meets Duke, Wake Forest, Virginia Tech, Washington and Lee, William and Mary, Quantico Marines and the University of Virginia on its southern swing, some opposition which should give the Bobcats a strong test as well as some good experience under fire.

Make-up of the golf squad will depend to a great extent on the showings made by the various players on the southern trip, Coach Blosser indicated just before leaving the campus, but on the squad are two or three veterans of last year along with some promising new talent which may give the Bobcats one of the strongest golf teams in its history.

THIS UNIVERSITY'S athletic department will play host to high school tracksters from all over Ohio and parts of West Virginia and Kentucky on Saturday, May 14, when the annual Ohio University Relays will be revived after a lapse of several years caused by the war period.

Jim Johnson, Bobcat track coach, is in charge of the event and advance indications are that the first revival event may be the biggest in the history of the relays.

TO WIND UP the basketball report, which was not complete in the last issue, the Varsity ended its first losing season in Coach "Dutch" Trautwein's 11 years at the helm with a 6 won, 16 lost record, and finished in last place in the Mid-American race. A double overtime



Freshman Basketball Coach Snyder Gets a Victor's Ride

Photo by Chuck Stewart

74 to 72 loss to Western Reserve was one of the outstanding contests of the season which all want to forget as quickly as possible.

Coach Jim Snyder's Freshman squad, however, brought a ray of sunshine into the drab basketball picture, winning 14 straight games without defeat, to be labeled the most outstanding Frosh court team in the university's history.

Coach Trautwein plans a couple of weeks of spring practice for the court outfit, starting after spring vacation, so fans may have a chance to get a sneak preview of next fall's cagers, whom all are predicting will be a team which may set new Bobcat records after a year of playing together.

THE BOBCAT swimmers, under the coaching of Frank Richey, have won two meets and lost four to date, with their finale pitting them against Cincinnati in the latter's pool. Even a loss in that match will leave the Bobcats a few points better off than last year when they had a 2-6 record.

The natators opened their schedule with a 42-33 win over Wittenberg in the Springfield pool, then collected four straight losses at the hands of the University of Detroit 27-48, the only home meet; Oberlin 32-43, Bowling Green 20-55, and Kent State 31-35. The Bobcats outswam Baldwin-Wallace 47 to 28 for their second win.

With work on the new \$400,000 pool scheduled to get underway in the very near future, university officials are hopeful the structure will be completed in time for next season, and with the Olympic-sized pool that is planned, swimming will take a long-awaited forward step in the Bobcat sports program.

In the stadium area there are to be several new tennis courts and a continued beautification of the grounds.

"GEORGE STARR LASHER DAY" TO HONOR JOURNALISM HEAD

Ohio University will honor George Starr Lasher, founder and director of its School of Journalism, with a "George Starr Lasher" day on Friday, April 22. The occasion will mark the completion of 25 years of service with the university.



Prof. George Starr Lasher

Graduates and former students of the School will join directors of journalism schools and departments, newspaper editors, and radio station directors from throughout Ohio, West Virginia and several other states in a program sponsored by Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, and designed to honor Prof. Lasher.

Herbert B. Elliston, editor of *The Washington (D.C.) Post*, will be the speaker for a convocation at 2 p.m. which will open the Friday program. Included also in the program will be a presentation of a recent portrait of Mr. Lasher to the School of Journalism; a tour of the recently-remodeled journalism quarters in Ewing Hall; displays of work of journalism alumni; a shop talk for visiting newspaper men and women, radio directors, and students, with Mr. Elliston in charge; and an open house at *The Athens Messenger*, local daily newspaper which is used as a laboratory by journalism students.

The Friday program will be climaxed with a banquet in honor of Prof. Lasher at 7 p.m., in one of the college dining halls, with approximately 500 persons expected to attend.

Saturday morning there will be a round table conference for alumni, students, and faculty members.

Although having no direct connection with the dedication of Bryan Hall to be held on Saturday afternoon (see page 4), it is pertinent to note that Dr. Elmer Burritt Bryan was president of the university when the journalism program was initiated under Prof. Lasher's direction.

On Sunday, April 24, the School of Journalism will hold an open house from 3 to 5 p.m. for alumni, members of the university administration and faculty and other guests, with journalism faculty members acting as hosts. A feature of this affair will be a display of work being done by alumni of the school, who are located in journalistic, radio and other positions throughout the nation.

E. S. "Vic" Sherow, '29, director of press relations at the university, is heading up efforts which are being made to hold a reunion of the journalism majors of the Class of 1929. This group, of ten members and scattered now from New Jersey to California, was the first to spend four full years in the School of Journalism. Also, it formed the organizations which later became chapters of Sigma Delta Chi and Theta Sigma Phi, national professional journalistic fraternities.

A biographical sketch of Prof. Lasher will appear in the next issue of *The Alumnus*.

ORGANIZED ALUMNI CENTERS

(Continued from page 8)
president; Fred M. Hussey, '39, treasurer; Mrs. Lee Eiler, chairman, program committee; and Dean E. Baesel, '42, chairman, membership committee.

San Francisco

West Coasters in the San Francisco area are anticipating a good time at the dinner dance to be held some time in April at the Naval Officers' Club at Hunter's Point. A similar affair was held at the same place a year ago.

James J. Claymore, '42, chapter secretary, reports that he and his associates—W. H. Keplinger, '23, president, and Jack E. Baker, '38, vice president—expect to have Joey Rardin, a former Athens boy, on their program. Joey is one of the nation's leading entertainers and has "M.C.'d" a number of top shows. The San Francisco officers are also attempting to line up the Ben Yest

JEFFERSON COUNTY MAN IS CLERK OF THE LOWER HOUSE

Delbert E. Nixon, '33, clerk of the Ohio House of Representatives, was snapped by a photographer (see picture) as he prepared to leave his office in the historic State House in Columbus with an armload of bills destined to be dumped into the House



House Clerk Delbert Nixon

hopper. Almost 700 measures were introduced before the deadline date—February 15—for such action.

Clerk Nixon is no stranger in Ohio's legislative halls, having served three terms (1934-40) in the House of Representatives. His present \$6,500 position is for a term of two years.

Mr. Nixon was elected mayor of his home town of Stratton, Jefferson County, in the fall following graduation from Ohio University. Other posts of civic responsibility which he has held in Stratton are the presidency of council and the presidency of the board of education.

His two and a half years with the Army Air Force included service with the 20th Air Force in Guam. He was relief administrator in Jefferson County for a two-year period, 1947-49.

In addition to activities of a political and civic nature, Mr. Nixon has found time to teach school, take additional college work at Kent State University, and pursue graduate studies at Ohio State University.

He and Mrs. Nixon, with their little daughter, Judy Kay, 3½ years of age, are residents of Columbus.

THIRD ANNUAL REPORT
OHIO UNIVERSITY FUND, INCORPORATED

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Athens, Ohio
 Feb. 5, 1949

Dear Alumni and Friends:

In presenting the third annual report of the Ohio University Fund, Inc., I wish to express my sincere thanks to all of you who have contributed to it in any way. It is with my deepest appreciation that I thank you in behalf of "Ohio U."

As you well know, your contributions made possible all projects that have been accomplished or begun, for which the State was unable to appropriate funds. The prizes given high school students who won the annual History, Government, and Citizenship contests held at Ohio University, were awarded through your efforts. The same is true of the scholarships given outstanding University students in every field. It is you who are in part responsible for the appearance on the campus of distinguished men who are leaders in their fields; and the artists who have appeared at concerts and convocations, to whose talent the present-day students look for stimulation and guidance.

We show, by tabulation, on the following pages, the percentages of your district and class year, in comparison with the total number of contributions. The contributions of the alumni on our lists are shown by districts in which they live. The treasurer's report shows expenditures covering a three-year period.

To those of you who have not as yet joined our list of contributors, we extend a hearty invitation to take part in the program which will mean so much to your Alma Mater. Your very giving will serve as an encouraging and inspiring factor in the lives of the students of today, and those of tomorrow.

Sincerely,



George A. Banks
 Associate Director

OHIO UNIVERSITY

ATHENS, OHIO

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

February 7, 1949

Mr. George A. Banks
Ohio University Fund, Inc.
Athens, Ohio

Dear Mr. Banks:

The third annual report of the Ohio University Fund indicates in a tangible way the many advantages which can be afforded the University in future years through successful operation of such a Fund. Research grants to faculty members, the Shaw chorale concert, senior scholarship awards, and the Ohio History, Government and Citizenship Contests (to mention only a few allocations) could never have been made possible without the aid of the Ohio University Fund. These events and awards, while themselves of outstanding significance, merely point the way to possible accomplishments through wider participation and support of the Fund.

I wish to extend sincere personal thanks to all those who have contributed; we are deeply indebted to them, and we hope similar contributions in the days ahead will help Ohio University progress even beyond the fondest dreams of her loyal alumni and friends.

Also, I wish to thank personally all those who have worked with the Fund this year; the president, Mr. John W. Galbreath; the director, Mr. John G. Case, Jr., and you, yourself, for your untiring work and interest in making 1948 a successful year for the Ohio University Fund.

Sincerely yours,



John C. Baker

JOHN G. CASE, JR.
52 EAST GAY STREET
COLUMBUS 15, OHIO

January 25, 1949

Dear Alumni Members and Friends:

Another year has passed and it is time again to review the accomplishments of the Fund. I, of course, am happy with the many people who have contributed to our organization but I am somewhat disappointed that so many either have not realized the need for supporting this project or have not taken time to send in a contribution.

We cannot all view a situation and come up with the same answer, but the University is entitled to our united effort in this one cause. The Ohio University Fund can be a source of greater accomplishments for Ohio University only to the extent that the alumni are interested in the cultural development of their Alma Mater. Other institutions of learning have similar programs. We want to show equal progress and this will require annual contributions from a great majority.

I urge you to acquaint yourselves with the workings of this organization and I further urge you to give your whole-hearted support to the new officers and the new director who will soon take over.

Sincerely,
JOHN G. CASE, JR.
Director,
Ohio University Fund, Inc.

JOHN W. GALBREATH & CO.
REALTORS
42 EAST GAY STREET
COLUMBUS 15, OHIO

January 12, 1949

To the Friends and Alumni of Ohio University:

Another year in the history of the Ohio University Fund has just been completed. While our progress has not been marked by any unusually large gifts, we have, nevertheless, made a very satisfactory growth. In analyzing this year's work it is gratifying to note that so many people who haven't given before, have now recognized the importance of the Fund and are making annual contributions.

As we begin another year we look forward, with enthusiasm, to the possibilities of the good that can come from a greater development. We call on you again to renew your contribution.

Elsewhere in this bulletin you will find a report from the Director. He has set forth what we have accomplished during 1948. We must continue to supply the University with funds for research, scholarships, and other purposes not covered by appropriations. This will be in keeping with the fine progress the University is making along many lines. Our University, under Dr. Baker's administration, has made a remarkable growth, not only in enrollment but in character, culture and academic work. You have been a part of this splendid growth. We hope you will continue your financial aid to the end that we may have an even greater Ohio University.

Very sincerely,
JOHN W. GALBREATH
President
Ohio University Fund, Inc.

Ohio University Fund, Incorporated

ANNUAL REPORT — 1948

Balance January 22, 1948-----	\$42,081.88
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RECEIPTS

Receipts from Contributors-----	\$13,223.75
Receipts from Special Sources----- (For Operating Expense)	10,425.42
Total Receipts-----	23,649.17
Total Available-----	\$65,731.05

EXPENDITURES

Research-----	\$ 216.28
Scholarship-----	2,444.15
Travel-----	253.65
President's Fund-----	1,305.68
Intellectual and Cultural-----	2,511.07
Cutler Hall-----	316.44
Bivin Fund — Research in Psychology-----	125.87
Miscellaneous Projects-----	15.32
Wehr Fund — Rufus Putnam School-----	70.00
Total Expenditure for Projects-----	\$ 7,258.46
Operating Expense-----	10,432.74
Total Expenditures for the Year—1948-----	\$17,691.20
Balance as of January 15, 1949-----	\$48,039.85

Cash-----	\$41,412.74
Investments-----	6,075.00
Accounts Receivable-----	552.11
\$48,039.85	

Treasurer's Report of the Ohio University Fund, Inc., as of January 15, 1949

PAUL R. O'BRIEN
Treasurer,
Ohio University Fund, Inc.

CONTRIBUTIONS BY DISTRICTS

Ohio has been divided into 30 districts, with one to six counties in each district. The 13 districts outside of Ohio are divided geographically and are composed of from one to seven states each. United States Possessions and Foreign Countries have been counted as one district.

	Alumni Listed	Number Contributors	Percent of Total Contributors	Amount Contributed
DISTRICT—OHIO COUNTIES				
1 Williams-Defiance-Paulding-Fulton-Henry-Putnam	50	1	.13	\$ 5.00
2 Van Wert-Mercer-Allen-Auglaize-Shelby	117	2	.26	15.00
3 Darke-Preble-Miami-Montgomery	271	8	1.05	47.00
4 Butler-Hamilton-Warren-Clermont	369	27	3.53	118.00
5 Lucas-Wood-Ottawa-Sandusky	185	7	.92	23.50
6 Hancock-Hardin-Seneca-Wyandot-Crawford	108	4	.52	23.00
7 Logan-Champaign-Clark-Greene-Union-Madison	224	3	.39	15.00
8 Clinton-Brown-Fayette-Highland-Adams	123	3	.39	35.00
9 Marion-Delaware-Morrow	117	1	.13	1.00
10 Franklin	718	41	5.37	854.00
11 Pickaway-Ross-Pike	266	5	.79	20.50
12 Scioto-Lawrence	349	2	.26	3.00
13 Erie-Huron-Lorain	215	1	.13	5.00
14 Richland-Ashland	166	3	.39	13.00
15 Knox-Licking	236	6	.65	19.50
16 Fairfield-Hocking	382	3	.39	11.00
17 Vinton-Jackson	211	14	1.83	61.50
18 Cuyahoga	1141	243	31.81	1,164.75
19 Medina-Summit-Portage	363	16	2.09	323.00
20 Wayne-Stark	287	6	.79	52.00
21 Holmes-Coshocton-Tuscarawas	278	6	.79	21.00
22 Muskingum-Guerney-Noble	303	3	.39	60.00
23 Perry-Morgan	205	45	5.89	66.00
24 Athens	1273	150	19.24	8,132.50
25 Meigs-Gallia	282	1	.13	5.00
26 Lake-Geauga-Ashtabula	217	4	.52	12.00
27 Trumbull-Mahoning	555	12	1.57	259.00
28 Columbiana-Carroll-Harrison-Jefferson	347	4	.52	17.00
29 Belmont-Monroe	244	4	.52	16.00
30 Washington	230	0	.00	0.00
DISTRICT—STATES				
31 West Virginia	488	12	1.57	89.00
32 Pennsylvania	361	13	1.70	331.00
33 New York-New Jersey	851	28	3.66	447.00
34 North East: Maine-Vermont-New Hampshire-Massachusetts-Connecticut-Rhode Island	199	19	2.49	57.00
35 East: Delaware-Maryland-District of Columbia	184	4	.52	20.00
36 South Eastern: Virginia-North Carolina-South Carolina-Georgia-Florida	281	8	1.05	39.00
37 North Central: Michigan-Indiana-Wisconsin-Illinois	462	25	3.27	245.00
38 South Central: Kentucky-Tennessee-Alabama-Mississippi	109	5	.65	27.00
39 North Midwest: Minnesota-Iowa-Missouri-North Dakota-South Dakota-Nebraska-Kansas	133	5	.52	328.00
40 South Midwest: Arkansas-Louisiana-Oklahoma-Texas	123	2	.26	25.00
41 Rocky Mountain: Montana-Wyoming-Colorado-New Mexico-Idaho-Utah-Arizona	121	4	.52	21.00
42 Far West: Oregon-Washington-Nevada-California	392	14	1.83	158.50
43 U. S. Possessions and Foreign Countries	68	4	.52	38.00
	13,604	767		\$13,223.75

THE 1948 FUND CONTRIBUTORS

BY CLASSES

GREATEST NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS BY CLASSES

First:	Classes of 1942 and 1943	35
Second:	Class of 1941	32
Third:	Class of 1947	29

LARGEST AMOUNTS CONTRIBUTED BY CLASSES

First:	Class of 1925	\$643.25
Second:	Class of 1913	543.00
Third:	Class of 1916	345.00

1873	1909	
Zentner, Philip†	Evans, Mary Chappelar*	
1874-1890	Evans, Rhys D.†	
None	Foster, Harry Z.†	
1891	Kanable, Grover G.†	
Biddle, Dr. Thomas R.†	Porter, Frank	
1892	1910	
None	Cooper, David M.†	
1893	Ehrbar, Birdie MacNaughton	
Beery, Clyde F.*	Fuller, Blanche Danford*	
1894	McFarland, Heber*	
None	Tripp, Louise Dana	
1895	Watkins, Sidney†	
Johnson, Arthur C.†	Dickerson, Harlan J.°	
McCaughay, Amy Herrold	Sanzenbacher, Elizabeth*	
McCaughay, U. M.	Taylor, Zera G.††	
1896-1897	Tewksbury, Carl L.†	
None	Dunlap, Dr. Howard L.	
1898	Elson, Harold A.	
Charter, Howard L.°	Hartinger, Elizabeth	
Wehr, Amy M.	Murphy†	
1899	Hughes, Milton D.	
Bennett, Dr. Newman H.	Palmer, Frank H.†	
1900	Steele, Florence Miesse†	
Gregg, William R.†	Case, John G., Jr.†	
Horn, Sarah Murphy	Cook, Carrie Ricketts†	
1901-1903	Dusheimer, Dr. Oscar L.	
None	Gauthier, Olive Reeves*	
1904	Harvey, Lucy Crammer	
Householder, Leslie W.†	Jones, Roger J.†	
1905	Meikle, Elsie M.*	
Mills, Lena L.	Wenrick, Key E.	
1906	Blumenthal, William R.	
Foster, Grace Rowles*	Dougan, Dr. Stanley†	
Holden, Jessie McBride‡	Goldsberry, Dr. Blaine R.	
Miller, Guy D.	Greisheimer, Dr. Esther M.†	
1907	Patterson, Lena E.	
Calhoun, Marie Hunter	Rucker, Grace Bateman†	
Fryburger, Frank C.	Rucker, Robert E.†	
Torrance, Allie McGee†		
1908	1915	
Keck, Blanche I.	Blosser, Frank R.†	
Mayes, Dr. H. W.	Bradley, Bonnie Cross	
Schaeffer, Madeline	Dickerson, Anna Porter*	
Studer, Dr. Robert J.°	Eccles, Henry H.†	
Studer, Stella Martin*	Foley, Louis†	
Wolfe, Anna Coates*	Gingher, Mabel Coe†	
	Jones, John W.†	
	McVay, Don	
	Paugh, Charles T.†	
	Whiston, Wilbur H.†	

*—Contributors to the Fund for the past two years

†—Contributors to the Fund for the past three years

‡—Contributors who gave twice in the current year

Bold—Deceased

Allison, Eliza M.	1916	Rotroff, Myrtle Fox*
Carroll, Anna E.°		Shively, Earl C.
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ANALYSIS OF 1948 GIFTS BY SIZE

Size of Gifts	Number of Gifts	Amount Given
\$ 1-\$ 4	312	\$ 550.50
5-	225	1,162.75
10- 24	127	1,450.50
25- 99	65	2,235.00
100- 499	34	5,575.00
500-and over	4	2,250.00
	Total	\$13,223.75

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